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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

ROBERT LEE BILLIE,  
Petitioner,  
v.  
CONNIE GIBSON,  
Respondent.

Case No. 2:22-cv-3832-CAS (SK)

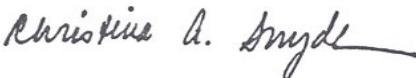
**ORDER ACCEPTING REPORT  
AND RECOMMENDATION TO  
DENY HABEAS PETITION**

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the attached Report and Recommendation to deny the habeas petition and any relevant records if needed. Because the time for objections has passed with none filed, the Court need not review de novo the findings and conclusions in the Report and Recommendation. *See Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140, 154 (1985); *United States v. Reyna-Tapia*, 328 F.3d 1114, 1121 (9th Cir. 2003).

THEREFORE, the Court accepts the Report and Recommendation and orders that the petition under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be DENIED. Judgment will accordingly be entered dismissing this action with prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: November 20, 2023

  
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CHRISTINA A. SNYDER  
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE